Tennessee Council of Juvenile and Family Court Judges First Quarter Summary Report Based On Number of Reported Cases January - March 2002

Juvenile Court BLEDSOE
Court Number 4

January - March 2002 71 Cases Were Disposed Of Or Adjusted

Affecting 62 Children

General Characteristics Of These Cases Follow:

Referral Reasons Before Amended ChargesEach Case May Include Up To 5 Referral Reasons
Therefore The Number Of Total Referral Reasons, Referral Sources, Intake Actions, Formal/Informal Actions,
And Person Executing The Action May Be Greater Than The Total Number of Cases

0	OR	0.00% Criminal Homicide
0	OR	0.00% 1st Degree Murder
0	OR	0.00% 2nd Degree Murder
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Rape
2	OR	2.50% Rape of a Child
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Vehicular Homicide
0	OR	0.00% Esp. Aggravated Robbery
0	OR	0.00% Esp. Aggravated Kidnapping
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Robbery
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Kidnapping
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Child Abuse/Neglect
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Sexual Battery
0	OR	0.00% Rape
0	OR	0.00% Voluntary Manslaughter
0	OR	0.00% Vehicular Homicide
0	OR	0.00% Sexual Abuse of a Child
0	OR	0.00% Other Sexual Offenses
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Assault
0	OR	0.00% Robbery
0	OR	0.00% Criminally Negligent Homicide
0	OR	0.00% Attempt to Commit a Crime Against Person
5	OR	6.25% Assault
1	OR	1.25% Reckless Endangerment
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Arson
0	OR	0.00% Arson
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Burglary
3	OR	3.75% Theft of Property
1	OR	1.25% Vandalism
0	OR	0.00% Forgery
0	OR	0.00% Worthless Checks
0	OR	0.00% Illegal Possession/Fraudulent Use of Credit/Debit Cards
0	OR	0.00% Burglary
0	OR	0.00% Unauthorized use of a Vehicle
0	OR	0.00% Cruelty to Animals

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0	OR		Sale of Controlled Substances
2	OR		Other Drug Offenses
7	OR		Possession of Controlled Substances
0	OR		Criminal Attempt
0	OR		Carrying Weapons on School Property
4	OR	5.00%	Unlawful Carrying/Possession of a Weapon
0	OR	0.00%	Evading Arrest
0	OR	0.00%	Escape
0	OR	0.00%	Driving Under Influence (DUI)
4	OR	5.00%	Possession/Consumption of Alcohol
0	OR	0.00%	Resisting Stop, Frisk, Halt, Arrest or Search
0	OR	0.00%	Aggravated Criminal Trespass
0	OR	0.00%	Harassment
0	OR	0.00%	Failure to Appear
0	OR	0.00%	Filing a False Police Report
0	OR	0.00%	Criminal Impersonation
1	OR	1.25%	Disorderly Conduct
0	OR	0.00%	Criminal Trespass
0	OR	0.00%	Public Intoxication
0	OR		Gambling
9	OR	11.25%	Traffic
0	OR	0.00%	Local Ordinances
2	OR	2.50%	Violation of Wildlife Regulations
0	OR	0.00%	Contempt of Court
2	OR	2.50%	Violation of Probation
1	OR	1.25%	Violation of Aftercare
1	OR	1.25%	Unruly Behavior
19	OR	23.75%	Truancy
0	OR		In-State Runaway
0	OR	0.00%	Out-of-State Runaway
5	OR		Possession of Tobacco Products
1	OR	1.25%	Violation of a Valid Court Order
0	OR		Violation of Curfew
0	OR		Sexually Abused Child
1	OR		Physically Abused Child
0	OR		Dependency/Neglect
0	OR		Termination of Parental Rights
0	OR		Violation of Pretrial Diversion
0	OR		Violation of Informal Adjustment
0	OR		Judicial Review
0	OR		Administrative Review
0	OR		Foster Care Review
6	OR		Custody
0	OR		Visitation
2	OR		Paternity/Legitimation
0	OR		Child Support
0	OR		Request for Medical Treatment
0	OR		Consent to Marry
1	OR	1.25%	
80	OR	100.00%	
Of the Source	71	Cases, There W	ere 80 Referral Sources
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Referral Source

31	OR	38.8% Were Referred By Law Enforcement
5	OR	6.3% Were Referred By Parents
3	OR	3.8% Were Referred By Relatives
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By Self
28	OR	35.0% Were Referred By School
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By CSA
4	OR	5.0% Were Referred By DCS
1	OR	1.3% Were Referred By Other State Departments
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By District Attorney's Office
2	OR	2.5% Were Referred By Court Staff
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By Social Agency
2	OR	2.5% Were Referred By Other Court
4	OR	5.0% Were Referred By Victim
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By Child & Parent
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By Hospital
0	OR	0.0% Were Unknown
0	OR	0.0% Other
80	OR	100.0% Total

Of the	71	Cases, There Were	80 Intake Actions
Intake Actions			
65	OR	81.3% Petition File	ed
0	OR	0.0% Motion File	d
11	OR	13.8% Citation Pro	ocessed
0	OR	0.0% Notification	of Acknowledgement of Paternity Processed
0	OR	0.0% Scheduling	of Judicial Review
0	OR	0.0% Scheduling	of Administrative Review
0	OR	0.0% Scheduling	of Foster Care Review
2	OR	2.5% Other	
0	OR	0.0% Unknown	
2	OR	2.5% Does Not A	apply
80	OR	100.0% Total	

Of The 71 Cases:

Type Of Detention

0	OR	0.0% Non-Secure Placement
6	OR	8.5% Juvenile Detention Facility
0	OR	0.0% Jail - Complete Separation
0	OR	0.0% Jail - Partial Separation
0	OR	0.0% Jail - No Separation
0	OR	0.0% Psychiatric Hospital
0	OR	0.0% Unknown
65	OR	91.5% Does Not Apply
0	OR	0.0% Other
71	OR	100.0% Total

Placement After Secure Detention Hearing

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5 OR 7.0% Returned To Prior Living Arrangement

0	OR	0.0% Juvenile Detention Facility
0	OR	0.0% Jail
0	OR	0.0% Shelter Facility/Group Home
0	OR	0.0% Foster Family
0	OR	0.0% Psychiatric Hospital
0	OR	0.0% Unknown
65	OR	91.5% Does Not Apply
1	OR	1.4% Other
71	OR	100.0% Total

During January - December 2001, Dispositions or Adjudications Affecting

62 Children

Age of Child At Referral

7	OR	11.3% Birth Through Age 10
3	OR	4.8% Ages 11 Through 12
7	OR	11.3% Ages 13 Through 14
21	OR	33.9% Ages 15 Through 16
24	OR	38.7% Age 17 Through 18
0	OR	0.0% Age 19 And Over
0	OR	0.0% Unknown/Not Reported
62	OR	100.0% Total

Sex of Child

40	OR	64.5%	Male
22	OR	35.5%	Female
0	OR	0.0%	Unknown
62	OR	100.0%	Total

Race of Child

60	OR	96.8% White
1	OR	1.6% African American
0	OR	0.0% Native American
0	OR	0.0% Asian
1	OR	1.6% Mixed Race
0	OR	0.0% Unknown
62	OR	100.0% Total

Of the 62 Children Referred

Hispanic Origin

O OR 0.0% Were Of Hispanic Origin

Living Arrangement of Child At Time of Referral

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14	OR	22.6% Living With Both Biological Parents
6	OR	9.7% Living With Father And Stepmother
8	OR	12.9% Living With Mother And Stepfather

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16	OR	25.8% Living With Mother
10	OR	16.1% Living With Father
4	OR	6.5% Living With Relatives
0	OR	0.0% Living With Adoptive Parents
0	OR	0.0% Living With Foster Family
0	OR	0.0% Living In A Group Home
0	OR	0.0% Living In A Residential Center
2	OR	3.2% Living In An Institution
0	OR	0.0% Living Independently
2	OR	3.2% Unknown
0	OR	0.0% Other
62	OR	100.0% Total
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School Enrollment of Child

42	OR	67.7% Were Enrolled In School
11	OR	17.7% Were Not Enrolled In School
9	OR	14.5% Unknown
62	OR	100.0% Total

Last Grade Completed By Child

4	OR	6.5% Too Young For School
0	OR	0.0% Pre-School
1	OR	1.6% Finished Kindergarten
0	OR	0.0% Finished Grade 1
0	OR	0.0% Finished Grade 2
0	OR	0.0% Finished Grade 3
1	OR	1.6% Finished Grade 4
1	OR	1.6% Finished Grade 5
4	OR	6.5% Finished Grade 6
5	OR	8.1% Finished Grade 7
10	OR	16.1% Finished Grade 8
4	OR	6.5% Finished Grade 9
1	OR	1.6% Finished Grade 10
5	OR	8.1% Finished Grade 11
0	OR	0.0% Finished Grade 12
0	OR	0.0% Non-graded Special Education
2	OR	3.2% GED
0	OR	0.0% Graduated
0	OR	0.0% Never Been In School
24	OR	38.7% Unknown
62	OR	100.0% Total

Enrolled In Special Education

5	OR	8.1% Were Enrolled In Special Education
12	OR	19.4% Not Enrolled In Special Education
45	OR	72.6% Unknown
62	OR	100.0% Total

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NOTE: In 2002 the Case Outcomes data was created so that each Juvenile is only counted "One time per Disposition Date with that particular Outcome". This will result in lower totals than past years (if comparing to previous Summaries and Reports), however this will reflect a more accurate

number of Outcomes that were ordered per Court Hearing (Disposition Date).

The Following Are	The	170 \$	Specific Case Outcomes	
30	OR	17.65% (Case Dismissed	
0	OR	0.00%	Case Retired or <i>Nolle Prosequi</i>	
50	OR	29.41% \	Warned/Counseled	
0	OR	0.00% I	Held Open For Review	
0	OR	0.00%	Supervision/Probation To Juvenile Court	
1	OR	0.59% I	Probation To Parents	
7	OR	4.12% I	Referral To Another Entity For Supervision/Service	
2	OR		Referred For Mental Health Counseling	
3	OR	1.76% I	Referred For Alcohol and Drug Counseling	
1	OR		Referred To Alternative School	
0	OR		Referred To Private Child Agency	
2	OR		Referred To Defensive Driving School	
0	OR		Referred To Alcohol Safety School	
2	OR		Referred To Juvenile Court Education-Based Program	
0	OR		Driver's License Held Informally	
0	OR		Voluntary Placement With DMHMR	
0	OR		Private Mental Health Placement	
0	OR		Private Mental Retardation Placement	
0	OR		Placement with City/County/Agency/Facility	
0	OR		Placement with Relative/Other Individual	
4	OR	2.35% I		
11	OR		Public Service	
0	OR		Restitution	
0	OR		Runaway Returned	
0	OR		No Contact Order	
0	OR		Injunction Other Than No Contact Order	
0	OR		House Arrest	
0	OR		Court Defined Curfew	
0	OR		Dismissed From Informal Adjustment	
0	OR OR		Dismissed From Pretrial Diversion Released From Probation	
1	OR		Transferred To Adult Court	
0	OR			
1	OR		DMHMR Involuntary Commitment DCS Commitment - Determinate	
5	OR		DCS Commitment/Custody	
0	OR		DCS Commitment - Suspended	
2	OR		DCS Intensive Probation	
4	OR		Other Intensive Probation	
8	OR		DCS Probation	
4	OR		Placed Under a Valid Court Order	
0	OR		Supervision By DCS	
5	OR		Transferred To Another Juvenile Court For Disposition	
0	OR		Parental Rights Terminated	
0	OR		Parental Rights Not Terminated	
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0	OR	0.00%	Order of Reference To DCS	BLEDSOE
8	OR		Court Costs	-
0	OR		Foster Care Terminated	
1	OR	0.59% I	Foster Care Continued	

5	OR	2.94% Custody Changed
1	OR	0.59% Custody Unchanged
2	OR	1.18% Visitation Changed
0	OR	0.00% Visitation Unchanged
0	OR	0.00% Voluntary Acknowledgment of Paternity
2	OR	1.18% Paternity Determined/Child Legitimated
0	OR	0.00% Paternity Not Determined/Child Not Legitimated
2	OR	1.18% Child Support Granted
0	OR	0.00% Child Support Amended
0	OR	0.00% Child Support Denied
0	OR	0.00% Child Support Terminated
0	OR	0.00% Request For Medical Treatment Granted
0	OR	0.00% Request For Medical Treatment Denied
0	OR	0.00% Consent To Marry Granted
0	OR	0.00% Consent To Marry Denied
6	OR	3.53% Other
170	OR	100.00% Total

Disposed By

Of the	80	Referral Reasons Disposed, There Were
80	OR	100.0% Disposed By The Judge
0	OR	0.0% Disposed By The Referee
0	OR	0.0% Disposed By The YSO
0	OR	0.0% Other
80	OR	100.0% Total

Of The	71	Cases Disposed	d,	
The Action Used	To Dis	pose/Adjust Eac	ch Of The 80 Referral Reasons	Was:
26	OR	32.5%	Dismissed	
0	OR	0.0%	Retired or Nolle Prosequi	
29	OR	36.3%	Complaint Substantiated Delinquent	
8	OR	10.0%	Complaint Substantiated Status Offender	
2	OR	2.5%	Complaint Substantiated Dependent/Neglected	
0	OR	0.0%	Complaint Substantiated Abused	
0	OR	0.0%	Complaint Substantiated Mentally III	
5	OR	6.3%	Informal Adjustment	
0	OR	0.0%	Pretrial Diversion	
0	OR	0.0%	5 Transfer To Adult Court Hearing	
0	OR	0.0%	Charges Cleared By Transfer To Adult Court	
8	OR	10.0%	Special Proceeding	
0	OR	0.0%	Review Concluded	
0	OR	0.0%	Case Held Open	
2	OR	2.5%	5 Other	
80	OR	100.0%	Total	